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Case CM1948M

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Matter of:

U.S. National Phase Entry
Under 35 USC § 371 from
the International Application of
Briatore, et al.
Int'l Appln No. PCT/US99/26588
Int'l Filing Date of 11 October 1999
Entitled: Bleaching Compositions

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.115

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Dear Sir:

Prior to examination and computation of the fees for entering the captioned International Application into the U.S. National Phase, please preliminarily amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS**IN THE SPECIFICATION**